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Applicant: Tomomichi CHIGUSA

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Title: OBSTACLE DETECTION STOPPING DEVICE OF

SOLAR RADIATION SHIELDING APPARATUS

Attorney Docket: 8957-000006/NP

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed <u>January 2, 2009</u>, please consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.